

**State Project ID: 1206-06-79**  
**US 12, Dane County**  
**Whitney Way to I-39/90**  
**Madison**

Update Date: **April 30, 2021**

## **Project Weekly Update** **(Madison Beltline Construction)**

### **General Project Information –**

WisDOT is making the following improvements on the Madison Beltline (US 12) between the Whitney Way exit and I-39/90 interchange.

- Resurface to address deteriorating pavement;
- Improve existing drainage deficiencies;
- Replace the existing median barrier wall; and
- Upgrade the Beltline median shoulders to be used part-time as travel lanes.

### **Project Schedule:**

- Overall Completion Date: December 2021

### **Traffic Impacts:**

- Nighttime single and double lane closures will be occurring from approximately Agriculture Drive to Fish Hatchery Road for the EB and WB Beltline from 6:30 PM to 6:00 AM. Daytime shoulder closures will also be taking place for the EB and WB Beltline between Agricultural Drive to Fish Hatchery Road.
- Various ramp closures from Seminole Highway to Stoughton Road will also be taking place.
- The EB Beltline inside travel lane between Whitney Way and Verona Road will remain closed to facilitate construction activities.
- The Stage 1B (Fish Hatchery Road to Todd Drive shoulder widening) work has begun. At this time the following short-term (7-day) ramp closure is in place:
  - **Ramps Currently Closed:** The ramp closure for the EB Beltline to the NB Fish Hatchery Road off ramp is anticipated until approximately May 3, 2021.
- EB and WB Beltline long term HMA paving operations will continue for the remainder of the construction season.

Please refer to the following website link for anticipated specific closure locations (<https://projects.511wi.gov/flexlane/closures/>). Please note that work is weather dependent and may be subject to change.

**Work this week (week of 5/3/2021)**

- Crews will continue survey and layout operations throughout the project.
- Crews will continue placing median sign structure shafts from the Yahara River Bridge to Park Street and will continue outside sign structure shafts from Agriculture Drive to Park Street.
- Crews will complete the Stage 1B shoulder widening operations on the EB Beltline to NB Fish Hatchery Road exit ramp.
- Crews will continue existing median barrier wall / pavement breaking and removal operations from the Yahara River bridge working west.
- Crews will continue storm sewer installations from Agriculture Drive to Park Street.
- Crews will continue removing existing overhead sign structures utilizing nighttime rolling slowdowns with assistance from Wisconsin State Patrol.
- Crews will begin placing concrete base in the median from Agriculture Drive to the Yahara River bridge.
- Crews will continue electrical installations throughout the project.
- Crews will continue EB and WB HMA paving operations from Park St to Todd Drive.



### **Work scheduled for the next week (week of 5/10/2021)**

- Crews will continue survey and layout operations.
- Crews will continue placing median sign structure shafts from Agriculture Drive to Park Street.
- Crews will continue electrical installations throughout the project.
- Crews will continue existing median barrier wall and pavement removals from Agricultural Drive to Park Street.
- Crews will continue storm sewer installation operations from Agricultural Drive to the Yahara River bridge.
- Crews will continue placing concrete base from Agriculture Drive to the Yahara River bridge.
- Crews will continue mainline HMA paving operations.

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### **Project Website**

<https://projects.511wi.gov/flexlane/>



Median area to be graded for concrete base near Stoughton Road.